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DEFENDANT BENJAMIN UNSIOG CHARFAUROS SENTENCED

LEONARDO M. RAPADAS, United States Attorney for the Districts of Guam and NMI announced that BENJAMIN U. CHARFAUROS, age 34, was sentenced today in the District Court of Guam to 151 months imprisonment and three years supervised release for conspiracy to commit Hobbs Act robbery.

The sentence is the result of a guilty plea entered on October 12, 2006. CHARFAUROS and Michael Giminez conspired and agreed together to rob the Giant Panda Store, using a firearm.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant U.S. Attorney ROSETTA SAN NICOLAS and investigated by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives. Credit is also given to the Guam Police Department for this assistance in the investigation.

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